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Attorney Docket No.	M-10234-1D US
First Named Inventor or Application Identifier	Thomas N. Toombs et al.
Title	Voltage Negotiations in a Single Host Multiple Cards System
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents

1. Fee Transmittal Form - *see page 2 of this form.*
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2. Application:
 - Specification: (preferred arrangement set forth below)
Descriptive title of the Invention,
Background of the Invention,
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Detailed Description (all totaling 60 pages)
 - Claim(s) 4 pages
 - Abstract of the Disclosure 1 page
3. Drawing(s) (35 USC 113) [Total Sheets 57]
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 - b. Copy from prior application (37 CFR §1.63(d))
(for continuation/divisional with Box 17 completed)
 - c. **DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b)
5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if Box 4b is checked)
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 - a. Computer Readable Copy
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ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS

8. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents) ____ pages
- The prior application is assigned of record to SanDisk Corporation at Reel 9730, Frames 0711 and 0731
9. 37 CFR §3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
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10. English Translation Document (if applicable)
11. Information Disclosure Copies of IDS
Statement (IDS) & PTO-1449 Citations/References
References not included. Cited in parent application SN 09/185,649
12. Preliminary Amendment 4 pages
13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)
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14. Small Entity Status
 - Small Entity Statement Enclosed ____ pages
 - Statement filed in prior application; and
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15. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
16. Other: Letter to the Draftsman and 39 sheets of formal drawings

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information and a preliminary amendment:

 Continuation Divisional of prior application No. 09/185,649Filed on November 4, 1998, entitled: Voltage Negotiation in a Single Host Multiple Cards System.

PRIOR APPLICATION INFORMATION: Examiner S. Lefkowitz Group Art Unit 2181

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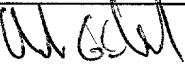
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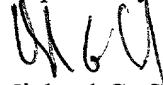
Dear Sir:

Applicants submit thirty-nine (39) sheets of formal drawings, consisting of Figures 1-71, in the above-named application. If there are any questions regarding these drawings, please call the undersigned at (415) 217-6000.

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